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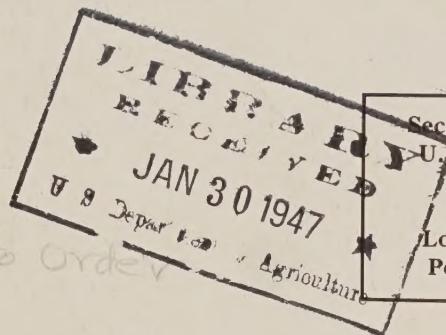
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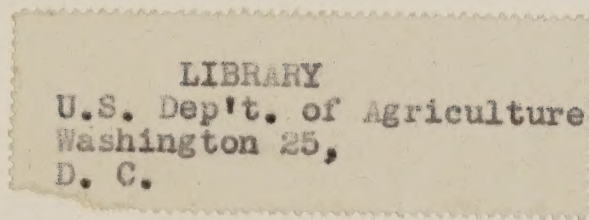
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Naegelias



Lilium (Photographed in Our Garden)

OXALIS

With the modern vogue for winter window gardening comes a renewed interest in this species which used to be as commonly grown years ago as geraniums. Many flower lovers are collecting them to grow and study for their bright cheerful flowers and interesting foliage. They are divided for convenience in two classes according to the ripening time of the bulb. Those priced are early ripening varieties for spring delivery.

DEPPEL. (tetraphylla speciosa). A fine variety having coppery pink blossoms and leaves with purple bands. **Doz. 75c**

ENNEAPHYLLA. This beautiful variety comes from the Falkland Islands and is hardy. The creeping, scaly bulbs send up frilly blue-green tufts of rayed leaves from which in turn rise the pure, waxy-white flowers in June. Likes partial shade. **Each \$1.00**

FLORIBUNDA. Fine pink with deeper colored center. Free blooming. Nearly hardy. **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.00**

FLORIBUNDA ALBA. A white companion to the above. **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.00**

LASIANDRA. A distinct and beautiful kind with large dark green leaves and umbels of bright rose-colored flowers. **3 for 50c**

VESPERTILLIONIS. "Lilac-rose flowers" is all the description we have on this. **Each \$1.00**

The following late maturing varieties will be offered in our fall catalogue for fall delivery.

ADENOPHYLLA **BOWIANA** **BRASILIENSIS**

RANUNCULUS (Buttercup)

PEONY-FLOWERED. An excellent strain having highly colored flowers like small double peonies about 2 inches across. The shades run through primrose, golden yellow, white, pink, salmon, vermillion and other wanted colors. Lovely for cutting. Not hardy in the northern states except in extremely sheltered positions. Plant outside as soon as the soil is warm placing the claws downward, 2 inches deep and 4 to 6 inches apart. **6 for 85c, Doz. \$1.25, 50 \$3.50**

ACHIMENES

Charming summer-flowering bulbs for pots in house or greenhouse or in the open where light shade and plenty of moisture can be provided. They respond perfectly to the same treatment given Tuberous Begonias. Sometimes known as "Cupid's Bower," the newer hybrids are greatly improved in size and color range. Five to ten of the tiny, scaly tubers may be planted in a 4- or 5-inch pot. They multiply rapidly. Water sparingly at first and pinch when they reach a height of 6 inches to induce branching. Ultimate height is 12 inches.

AMBROISE VERSCHAFFELT. Beautifully veined violet-blue on white ground. A very choice variety. **3 for 60c, Doz. \$2.00**

LITTLE BEAUTY. Compact plants with bright cerise-pink flowers. One of the best for pots. **3 for 75c, Doz. \$2.25**

LOVELINESS. A free-blooming dwarf type with many violet flowers. **3 for 60c, Doz. \$2.00**

LONGIFLORA MADUNA. A strong grower. Soft violet flowers with white throat, beautifully veined, dark leaves. **3 for 60c, Doz. \$2.00**

LONGIFLORA MAJOR. Very large flowers of brilliant dark blue. Extra choice. **3 for 60c, Doz. \$2.00**

MARGUERITAE. Large flowers of pure white. **3 for 60c, Doz. \$2.00**

PATENS MAJOR. Reddish violet flowers with white throat. Compact plant. **3 for 60c, Doz. \$2.00**

PULCHELLA (coccinea). Small flowers but bright red, a rare color in Achimenes. **3 for 75c, Doz. \$2.25**

TUBIFLORA (Gloxinia tubiflora). A somewhat different type from the above. Long, fragrant, waxy white flowers on tall stems. **Each 60c**

CRINUMS

Crinums are rare and interesting bulbs producing in midsummer large umbels of fragrant Lily-like flowers on stout two-foot stems. They make fine accent points for terraces or borders, and an easy way to grow them outside is to sink the pots into the spaces where desired. They are good pot plants and the culture is the same as for Amaryllis. They increase freely by bulblets.

MOOREI. A showy variety with long lasting pink blossoms and long, very waxy leaves. Bears seed if hand-pollinated or crossed with other species. It is said to be hardy in the latitude of New York City except that the bulbs grow so near the surface of the ground that the frost damages them. **Each \$1.50**

MOOREI ALBUM. A companion to the above with white flowers. **Each \$1.50**

POWELLI. A hybrid with deep pink flowers. Bailey says, "If the bulbs are planted 2½ to 3 feet deep (to the bottom of the bulb) in well-drained soil, the plant stands without protection in the neighborhood of New York City." **Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00**

POWELLI ALBUM. Similar to the above with white flowers. **Each 85c, 3 for \$2.25**

POWELLI HARLEMENSE. Beautiful delicate pink blossoms in large umbels. An improvement on Powellii. **Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00**

POWELLI KRELAGEI. Another improved hybrid having deep rose-pink curved flowers 4 inches long. **Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.65**

CRINO-DONNA CORSII (Amaracrinum Howardi). A cross between Amaryllis belladonna and Crinum Moorei. Clear pink flowers borne on stout stems in September or October. **Each \$3.00**

GESNERIACEAE

The Gesneria family consists of several species of tuberous-rooted plants having soft, heart-shaped leaves and brilliant tubular flowers in clusters. They have become an item much sought after by plant lovers who collect them, and there are several correspondence clubs devoted to a study and exchange of knowledge concerning them. The culture is exactly the same as for Tuberous begonias. Of this family we offer the 3 species listed below: Gesnerias, Naegelias and Tydaes. Tubers of all 3 species should be stored in a warm place in the pots in which they have been grown and watered occasionally during the dormant season.

SPECIAL OFFER. (A). 3 each of Gesnerias, Naegelias and Tydaes, 9 in all, our selection (\$6.25 value.) **\$5.00**

Gesnerias

CARDINALIS (macrantha). An attractive variety having bright red flowers and large velvety green leaves. A fine pot plant. **3 for \$1.50**

UMBELLATA. The flowers are a deeper shade of red than those of cardinalis and they bloom much more freely. A new introduction whose specific name is subject to verification. **3 for \$1.50**

Naegelias

Although Naegelias are very desirable, the tubers are so perishable that they require very special packing and expensive insurance against frost in transit.

GOLDEN KING. Beautiful, deep yellow flowers and fine marbled leaves. **Each \$1.25**

MONARCH. Large red flowers, very decorative bronze leaves. **Each \$1.25**

ORANGE DELIGHT. Orange-red with yellow outside and throat. Inside slightly speckled. **Each \$1.25**

ORANGE KING. A very fine uniform orange. **Each \$1.25**

ROSE QUEEN. An unusual color combination of carmine pink with a creamy interior speckled pink. **Each \$1.25**

SPECIAL OFFER (B). One each of the above Naegelias (\$6.25 value) **\$5.00**

Tydaes

Formerly known as Isolomas, this handsome species resembles in flower Achimenes and Gesnerias and comes in the same varied assortment of colors.

SUPERFINE named varieties in mixture **3 for \$1.50**

FINE MIXTURE **3 for \$1.00**

CALADIUMS (American Grown)

FANCY LEAVED. Strikingly veined and variegated-leaved plants in gorgeous reds, greens and whites. Easily grown as pot plants. Also increasingly used for effective displays in the shady portions of the garden. Very interesting in flower arrangements. Mixed colors. **3 for \$1.00, Doz. \$3.75**

GLOXINIAS

Gloxinias are natives of Brazil with richly colored, velvety, bell-shaped flowers often marbled or spotted with darker shades. Not the least of their beauty is in the large downy, conspicuously veined leaves. The tubers should be started the same as Tuberous Begonias but are best used as house plants only, to insure careful watering as wetting the leaves causes spotting. After they have finished blooming and the leaves have matured, water is gradually withheld so the tubers may ripen after which they are stored in sand in a temperature of 45 degrees. The varieties listed are fine hybrids very seldom found in American catalogues.

(Gloxinias continued at top of next column)



Ranunculus

BLANCHE DE MERU. Rosy purple with white throat.

EMPEROR FREDERIC. Attractive scarlet with broad white margin.

EMPEROR WILLIAM. Deep pansy blue with broad white margin.

ETOILE DE FEU. Striking carmine red.

FIRE KING. Bright red and one of the best.

MONTBLANC. Pure white.

VIOLACEA. Deep velvety-blue.

WATERLOO. Bright scarlet, elegantly waved.

MIXTURE OF FINE NAMED VARIETIES. Our selection.

TIGRINA HYBRIDS. These are a new type having unusual netted and laced flowers which are considered by many to be superior to the more solid colors. Each of the above items of Gloxinias are sold **3 for \$1.30, dozen \$4.75**

AMARYLLIS (HIPPEASTRUMS)

Our strain is exceptional and should not be confused with ordinary ones. The colors are very clear and true and the large, finely-shaped flowers are distinguished by wide, overlapping petals which give them a more luxurious appearance than where they are more widely spaced. Our bulbs will usually bloom 4 flowers on a spike and many bulbs will produce 2 spikes.

Solid scarlet, **each \$3.75** Orange, **each \$7.50**

White, lined pink, **each \$3.75** Pure pink (very choice), **each \$9.00**

Salmon-orange, **each \$6.00** Pure white (rare), **each \$6.00**

Splendid Mixture, **each \$3.50, 3 for \$10.00**

Amaryllis Seed (Ready in April)

Solid scarlet, **10 for \$1.00** Salmon-orange, **10 for \$1.00**

Pure white, **10 for \$1.25** Orange, **10 for \$1.25**

White, lined pink, **12 for \$1.00** Pure pink, **10 for \$1.60**

Splendid Mixture, **12 for \$1.00**

ISMENES

The fragrant "Sea Daffodil" of Peru. Large Lily-like flowers similar to Amaryllis except that the petals are notched and fringed giving them a glamorous and fantastic effect quite different from anything else. Of easy culture as a pot plant or for the garden, blooming soon after planting. A group of these handsome plants is always a center of interest. We supply large bulbs which should be planted in late spring in rich, sandy soil in a warm, sunny place. When potted early, they may be forced into bloom with excellent results in May. The bulbs should be stored warm and dry over the winter.

AMANCAES. A very rare species with beautiful, deep yellow flowers. **Each \$2.00**

CALANTHINA ADVANCE. A splendid improvement on the well-known I. calathi. It grows 2 feet tall with large, pure white flowers having green stripes in the throat. **3 for \$1.30, Doz. \$4.75**

FESTALIS. A free flowering sort having pure white flowers with elegant curved petals. **3 for \$1.30, Doz. \$4.75**

HARRISIANA. Small white flowers, not as tall as others. **3 for \$1.00, Doz. \$3.75**

SULPHUR QUEEN. A very fine early blooming hybrid. Primrose yellow, throat light yellow with green stripes. **3 for \$1.30, Doz. \$4.75**

LILIES

While the best time to plant most lilies is in the fall, those listed here may be planted equally well in spring. Many others will be offered in our fall catalogue.

CROCEUM. We offer the true variety. Many orange-red upright flowers slightly purple spotted. Easily established. **Each 60c, 6 for \$2.85**

HANSONI. The Golden Turk's Cap. Handsome orange-yellow flowers flecked with black. Flowers in June on 5-foot stems. An easy doer. **Each \$1.50, 6 for \$7.50**

HENRYI. Sometimes called The Orange Speciosum. A lovely shade of orange, more like apricot, strong grower, blooms in August and early September. **Each 45c, 6 for \$2.20**

PUMILUM. (tenuifolium). The Siberian Coral Lily. A beautiful little lily with deep scarlet, wax-like flowers, recurving petals. Fine for the rock garden. **Each 20c, 6 for 90c**

REGALE. The most popular of all garden lilies and one of the easiest and most satisfactory to grow. Pure white trumpets with lemon throat outside flushed purplish rose. Exquisite fragrance. Monster bulbs. **Each 65c, 6 for \$3.15**

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. Now that we may import freely, we may again have the lovely speciosums for our gardens. No collection should be without this desirable variety which by spring planting gives a fine display of flowers late in the season. Deep crimson with attractive black spots. 22-24 cms. **Each \$1.25, 6 for \$6.25**

SPECIOSUM ALBUM. The white counterpart of the above. **Each \$1.50, 6 for \$7.50**

MONTBRETIAS

Montbretias are natives of South Africa from whence come so many of our most attractive flowering bulbs. They somewhat resemble miniature gladioli and are just as bright and varied in their colors. They may be grown in rows for cutting purposes for which they are valuable or used as points of interest in the border. While hardy in milder sections of the east, most gardeners prefer to harvest and store the corms in the same manner as is used for gladioli.

AURORA. Very large flowers, pure orange, tall grower with good branching. **3 for 45c, Doz. \$1.50**

COMET. A most beautiful new variety. Very large, open flowers of bronze gold with rich maroon center, tall dark-colored stems. Long lasting. **3 for 85c, Doz. \$3.00**

FIERY CROSS. Intense glowing fiery orange, reverse red. Tall, erect stems. **3 for 85c, Doz. \$3.00**

HIS MAJESTY. Orange-yellow center, tips and reverse orange-scarlet. F. C. C. Haarlem, 1926. **3 for 45c, Doz. \$1.50**

LADY WILSON. Very large, rich orange-yellow flowers, strong, rigid stems. **3 for 45c, Doz. \$1.50**

STAR OF THE EAST. Beautiful orange-red flowers of immense size. **3 for 85c, Doz. \$3.00**

MIXED SHADES AND COLORS. A planting of these mixed colors is very pleasing for the shades all blend together nicely. A row in the cutting garden would yield many beautiful bouquets. **Doz. \$1.50, 50 \$4.50**

TIGRIDIAS (Shell Flower of Mexico)

PAVONIA MIXED. Another nice species for the sunny border or cutting garden. These charming flowers come in gorgeous shades of carmine, yellow, scarlet, pink and white with various colored spots. The culture is the same as for gladioli. **Doz. \$1.25, 50 \$3.75**



Gesneria



Tuberous Begonias

*Huge Blooms of Every
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DOUBLE FLOWERED BEGONIAS

DOUBLE BEGONIA. In separate colors, white, yellow, pink, scarlet, dark red, orange, copper color, or mixed. **3 for 85c, Doz. \$3.00**

BOUTON DE ROSE. Flowers resembling half-opened roses of most exquisite form in finest mixture of soft pink shades which deepen toward the center of the flower adding to its beauty. **3 for \$1.00, Doz. \$3.75**

CAMELLIA-FLOWERED MIXED. Assorted pink varieties with white edges. **3 for \$1.00, Doz. \$3.75**

DOUBLE FRILLED. In separate colors, white, yellow, pink, red, orange, copper color, or mixed. **3 for \$1.00, Doz. \$3.75**

GIANT TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

Dollar for dollar, few plants give more satisfaction than Tuberous Begonias. The tubers last for years, they are easily grown and no other showy flowering plant will do so well in shady locations. We offer fine tubers of selected strains, true to name and color.

Culture: Set tubers shallowly on peat moss or coarse leafmold which should be kept barely moist or in pots which also should be watered sparingly. When the plants are 3 or 4 inches high, they are ready for transfer to larger pots or to shady, protected beds where they should be planted about a foot apart. They are fine for porch boxes if not subjected to sun or wind. As they are gross feeders, they benefit from applications of manure water when in pots, and when planted outside the soil should be well-enriched. A mixture of $\frac{1}{3}$ gravel (pea to hickory nut size), $\frac{1}{3}$ clay loam and $\frac{1}{3}$ well-rotted manure gives a rich, porous soil. If the cow manure is not available, substitute peat moss adding 1 pound of superphosphate to the bushel for fertility.

DOUBLE MULTIFLORA BEGONIAS

This type is more dwarf and compact growing than the above and literally covered all summer with small double flowers. Especially recommended for bedding or porch boxes. Will stand a little more sunlight than the other types. Also makes a fine summer pot plant.

AMI JEAN BARD. Orange yellow. **3 for \$1.10, Doz. \$4.00**

FLAMBOYANT. Semi-double vermillion. Blooms profusely. **3 for \$1.10, Doz. \$4.00**

GUILLAUME EYSSER. Bright fiery-red flowers held well above foliage. **Each 50c**

MAD. FRENE EYSSER. Fine novelty with very bright, salmon-orange flowers. **Each 50c**

MAD. RICHARD GALLE. A sport of the popular Mrs. Helen Harms. A fine orange-salmon with a very long flowering period. **3 for \$1.00, Doz. \$3.75**

MRS. HELEN HARMS. A profusion of delicate yellow flowers all summer long. **3 for \$1.10, Doz. \$4.00**

DOUBLE PENDULA BEGONIAS

Exquisite double type for hanging baskets, porch boxes or pots. Trailing fronds bear myriads of flowers that droop gracefully from their weight.

IN SEPARATE COLORS. White, yellow, pink, carmine-red, orange or mixed.

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